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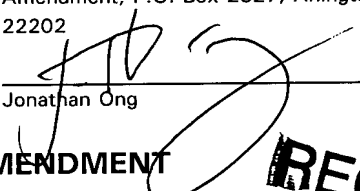
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Requirement for Restriction, mailed January 10, 2003, applicant elects, without traverse, group I, Claims 1-8, 11-20, 44-53, 69-71 and 75, drawn to nucleic acids, probes, primers, vectors, cells, kits and methods of producing a polypeptide by culturing cells

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 9, 10, 21-43, 54-68 and 72-74 without prejudice or disclaimer.

REMARKS

Any fees that may be due in connection with filing this paper or with this application may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1213. If a Petition for Extension of time is needed, this paper is to be considered such Petition.

Elected claims 1-8, 11-20, 44-53, 69-71, 75 are pending. Claims 9, 10, 21-43, 54-68 and 72-74, which are non-elected, are cancelled herein. Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications to the non-elected subject matter.

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